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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/964,667; Filed: September 28, 2001
For: **Transgenic Animals and Cell Lines for Screening Drugs Effective for
the Treatment or Prevention of Alzheimer's Disease**
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Fee Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/17);
2. Copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;
3. Petition to Reset Period for Reply along with a photocopy of the envelope within which the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers arrived at the correspondence address;
4. Petition for Acknowledgment of Deposit of Item with Originally-Filed Nonprovisional Patent Application Papers along with a photocopy of the originally filed Figure 1;

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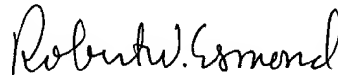
5. 16 sheets of drawings: (Figures 1A, 1B, 1C, 2A-2F, 3A-3B, 3C-3F, 4A-4H, 5A-5B, 6A-6G, 7A-7B, 7C, 8A-8B, 8C-8D, 9A-9B, 10A-10B and 11-12);
6. Our check no. **33984** in the amount of **\$130.00** to cover the fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h); and
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